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C. T. Johnson	433
Ben Ramsey	953
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Doug Crouch	264
John Ben Shepperd	1275
<b>UNITED STATES SENATOR:</b>	
Dudley Tarleton Dougherty	427
Lyndon B. Johnson	1117
<b>CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE:</b>	
Martin Dies	1620
<b>COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:</b>	
John C. White	1622
<b>COMMISSIONER OF LAND OFFICE:</b>	
Bascom Giles	1620
<b>TREASURER OF STATE OF TEXAS:</b>	
Jesse James	1617
<b>RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:</b>	
Ernest O. Thompson	1621
<b>COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:</b>	
Robert S. Calvert	1618
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<b>STATE SENATOR, 25TH DISTRICT:</b>	
Dorsey B. Hardeman	1596
<b>U. S. REPRESENTATIVE, 16TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT:</b>	
Ken Regan	943
J. T. Rutherford	804
<b>STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 102ND DISTRICT:</b>	
Louis H. Anderson	802
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Roy K. Priest	459
Jim C. Langdon	269
Alvis Jonsson	277

### DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 112TH DISTRICT:

Marvin Blackburn	556
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Steve Preslar	895

### COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK:

Nancy K. Daugherty	1614
Elizabeth L. Rains	1625

### COUNTY TREASURER:

Elizabeth L. Rains	1625
<b>COUNTY WEIGHER:</b>	
B. R. Cox	1602

### COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN:

L. E. Windham	578
Pete Williams, Jr.	970

### PRECINCT NO. 3 COMMISSIONER:

Dale Keneaster	61
E. K. Buford	173
A. M. (Max) Moore	39
W. W. Greif	168
Dee Locklin	56

### PRECINCT NO. 4 COMMISSIONER:

H. F. Curry	109
Joe E. Conger	461

### PRECINCT 1 BOX 1 COUNTY VOTE

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### PRECINCT 2 BOX 2 COUNTY VOTE

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<b>COUNTY JUDGE:</b>	
G. H. Fisher	111
E. C. Bone	50

### SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR:

H. E. (Gene) Eckols	126
C. H. (Cliff) Jones	40

### COUNTY ATTORNEY:

John A. Menefee	61
Steve Preslar	99

### COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK:

Nancy K. Daugherty	162
Elizabeth L. Rains	164

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Pete Williams, Jr.	77

### PRECINCT 2 BOX 3 COUNTY VOTE

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E. C. Bone	5

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Primary workers were Lavada Shannon, Mrs. R. L. Pierce, Mrs. W. O. Adams and Mrs. Artie Rich.

Working with the junior group were Miss Pal Schwartz, Mrs. Oscar Pettit, Mrs. Mae Price, Rev. R. L. Shannon and John Lair.

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### THE WINNERS



J. T. RUTHERFORD  
... to congress



JIM C. LANGDON  
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H. E. "GENE" ECKOLS  
... wins again



STEVE PRESLAR  
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Good rules to live by, both of them and they can especially be applied in Rankin for the next few weeks. Some of the folks in town are not getting very much water even though there is plenty for everyone. This is a result of small water lines, laid long before the town reached its present size.

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Check with your neighbor. If their water pressure is low in the evenings, do your lawn watering in the mornings. Keep your water usage at a minimum in the later afternoons. Some folks say they do not have enough water for filling bathtubs and washing dishes when those on the line ahead of them have their lawn sprinklers turned on. Others have very low pressure.

Luckily for most people, the low pressure and water shortage does not affect many homes but it is a discouraging incident for those who do have to contend with it.

Some relief was given the low pressure areas last week when water was again pumped into the mains. This solved the situation to some extent; however, there are still homes that could use more water if they could get it and your neighbor may be one of them. They would appreciate your consideration for the remainder of the summer.

### Proposed Amendments To State Constitution In This Issue of News

In this issue of the News you will find published proposed Constitutional Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Texas. At the November general election you will have an opportunity to vote for or against these amendments to your state's governing document.

These are proposed changes in the laws of the State of Texas. They have been proposed by the past session of the House of Representatives and the State Senate. In order that they become law they must now have the approval of the people.

If you are interested in the laws that govern you as a citizen of Texas, it is your duty to read and study these amendments in order that you may vote for or against each of them. If you are not interested in the type of laws that the state has, if you are completely disinterested in the welfare of the state as a whole, or if you wish only to blame the representatives you send to Austin and accept absolutely none of the responsibility for your government, then these amendments need not be read by you.

There have been a vast number of amendments to the Constitution of Texas in years past and they have all gone through this very same process to be amended. There are probably a amended laws in force now that you do not like. It is just as likely that you may have voted FOR the amendment at the time it became effective and did not know what you were voting for.

Read the Constitutional Amendment Proposals in this issue of the News and KNOW what you are voting for or against when they come up for decision in November.

### HAMP CARTER WINS 2ND IN SPUR ROPING

Hamp Carter proved that he can still twirl a wicked loop when he placed second in a calf roping last Saturday at Spur.

Topped in the event by only .04 seconds, Carter's time paid him \$25. Had he been just those few seconds faster it would have been worth an extra 25 bucks. If all roping paid off at that rate, it would be in the neighborhood of \$375 an hour. That would be pretty fair pay for country roping.

## Record Crowd Attends Saturday Vote Counting

### A NOTE OF THANKS

The Rankin Lions Club wishes to extend their thanks to the citizens of Rankin for their very fine reception of the election returns and the entertainment furnished by the Lions Club and the Rebekah Lodge.

An extra "Thank You" goes to the voting judges who held the election for their cooperation, to the County Clerk for her fine job of relaying county-wide reports and to the telephone operators who were so good to help in getting the calls through.

The club also appreciates very much the help given by citizens of Rankin on the tearing down of the church building. Rankin's Lions Club is a service organization and with the fine support it has had from local people, it will continue to work for the betterment of the community.

### REFRESHMENT BOOTH IS SUCCESS FOR REBEKAHS

The Rebekah Lodge reports the success of the refreshment booth set up on election night at the corner of the Ford Theatre.

They wish to thank everyone for their support and to especially thank the ladies who worked so tirelessly until near midnight serving cold drinks, lemonade, coffee and sandwiches.

The lodge met on Thursday night with seven members present and it was decided to adopt a shut-in each week to visit and send get-well cards to.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. R. P. Caughron, Crane, major surgery on July 16th, dismissed July 22.

Mrs. E. M. Carpenter and baby girl of Bakersfield, dismissed July 20.

Mrs. Jack Givens and baby of McCamey dismissed July 21.

Mrs. J. W. Powell and baby boy dismissed July 23.

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Mrs. J. D. Gossett dismissed July 24.

Mr. C. C. Shephard dismissed July 25.

Mr. Johnny Warner dismissed July 24.

Mr. H. R. Sturgeon dismissed July 26.

Mary Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Morris, admitted July 23, dismissed July 26.

Mr. D. P. Tabor, Big Lake, accident victim admitted July 25th, transferred to Midland July 26.

Mrs. R. L. Bell admitted July 25, still confined.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Seledino Mendoza, a baby boy weighing 5 lbs. 4 1/2 oz. on July 24. Named Francisco. Both dismissed July 26.

Operations on the project were to have begun July 24.

Location, on a 640-acre lease, is 2,310 feet from the north and east lines of 26-B-HE&WT.

### GLENN MATHEWS DUE TO BE BACK HOME WEDNESDAY

According to Ray Mathews, Glenn and Mrs. Mathews should be back in Rankin Wednesday.

Ray planned to leave Tuesday evening to go to Dallas and bring the family home. At last report, Glenn was feeling better and was looking forward to getting back with homefolks.

### J. W. HEARON FAMILY ESCAPE INJURY IN WRECK

The J. W. Hearon family had a close brush with a serious accident last Tuesday night when their family car was in collision with a horse on the McCamey highway.

The family had been to McCamey to visit relatives in the hospital and were returning home. As their car neared the first bridge west of Rankin, a horse crossed the road in front of them and they were unable to miss the animal due to an approaching automobile.

Hearon said the car was almost a total loss. The impact killed the horse.

Mrs. Charley Hickox of San Angelo visited the J. R. McSpadden Tuesday. She was accompanied home by Miss Rhoda McSpadden for a visit.

Described as the largest crowd ever to gather in Rankin for an election night vote-counting, Saturday night's group stayed with the board watching the returns until one-thirty in the morning.

With the majority of the watchers gathered from 9:00 to 10:30, the group enjoyed a cake walk and refreshments furnished by various organizations, as well as doing some close figuring on the election returns as they were posted. Better than 35 cakes were awarded to winners in the cake walk.

Most of the precinct races were decided before 10:00 and several of the county posts were pretty well determined by that time. However, one of the boxes in McCamey delayed the final outcome until Sunday.

### CAR WRECK ON HIGHWAY

At about 1:30 the election posting was broken up by an automobile wreck on Highway 67 east of town.

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Check with your neighbor. If their water pressure is low in the evenings, do your lawn watering in the mornings. Keep your water usage at a minimum in the later afternoons. Some folks say they do not have enough water for filling bathtubs and washing dishes when those on the line ahead of them have their lawn sprinklers turned on. Others have very low pressure.

Luckily for most people, the low pressure and water shortage does not affect many homes but it is a discouraging incident for those who do have to contend with it.

Some relief was given the low pressure areas last week when water was again pumped into the mains. This solved the situation to some extent; however, there are still homes that could use more water if they could get it and your neighbor may be one of them. They would appreciate your consideration for the remainder of the summer.

### Proposed Amendments To State Constitution In This Issue of News

In this issue of the News you will find published proposed Constitutional Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Texas. At the November general election you will have an opportunity to vote for or against these amendments to your state's governing document.

These are proposed changes in the laws of the State of Texas. They have been proposed by the past session of the House of Representatives and the State Senate. In order that they become law they must now have the approval of the people.

If you are interested in the laws that govern you as a citizen of Texas, it is your duty to read and study these amendments in order that you may vote for or against each of them. If you are not interested in the type of laws that the state has, if you are completely disinterested in the welfare of the state as a whole, or if you wish only to blame the representatives you send to Austin and accept absolutely none of the responsibility for your government, then these amendments need not be read by you.

There have been a vast number of amendments to the Constitution of Texas in years past and they have all gone through this very same process to be amended. There are probably amended laws in force now that you do not like. It is just as likely that you may have voted FOR the amendment at the time it became effective and did not know what you were voting for.

Read the Constitutional Amendment Proposals in this issue of the News and KNOW what you are voting for or against when they come up for decision in November.

### HAMP CARTER WINS 2ND IN SPUR ROPING

Hamp Carter proved that he can still twirl a wicked loop when he placed second in a calf roping last Saturday at Spur.

Topped in the event by only .04 seconds, Carter's time paid him \$25. Had he been just those few seconds faster it would have been worth an extra 25 bucks. If all roping paid off at that rate, it would be in the neighborhood of \$375 an hour. That would be pretty fair pay for country roping.

## Record Crowd Attends Saturday Vote Counting

### A NOTE OF THANKS

The Rankin Lions Club wishes to extend their thanks to the citizens of Rankin for their very fine reception of the election returns and the entertainment furnished by the Lions Club and the Rebekah Lodge.

An extra "Thank You" goes to the voting judges who held the election for their cooperation, to the County Clerk for her fine job of relaying county-wide reports and to the telephone operators who were so good to help in getting the calls through.

The club also appreciates very much the help given by citizens of Rankin on the tearing down of the church building.

Rankin's Lions Club is a service organization and with the fine support it has had from local people, it will continue to work for the betterment of the community.

### REFRESHMENT BOOTH IS SUCCESS FOR REBEKAHS

The Rebekah Lodge reports the success of the refreshment booth set up on election night at the corner of the Ford Theatre.

They wish to thank everyone for their support and to especially thank the ladies who worked so tirelessly until near midnight serving cold drinks, lemonade, coffee and sandwiches.

The lodge met on Thursday night with seven members present and it was decided to adopt a shut-in each week to visit and send get-well cards to.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. R. P. Caughron, Crane, major surgery on July 16th, dismissed July 22.

Mrs. E. M. Carpenter and baby girl of Bakersfield, dismissed July 20.

Mrs. Jack Givens and baby of McCamey dismissed July 21.

Mrs. J. W. Powell and baby boy dismissed July 23.

Mrs. Melvin Austin and baby girl dismissed July 23.

Mrs. J. D. Gossett dismissed July 21.

Mr. C. C. Shephard dismissed July 25.

Mr. Johnny Warner dismissed July 24.

Mr. H. R. Sturgeon dismissed July 26.

Mary Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Morris, admitted July 23, dismissed July 26.

Mr. D. P. Tabor, Big Lake, accident victim admitted July 25th, transferred to Midland July 26.

Mrs. R. L. Bell admitted July 25, still confined.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Seledinio Mendoza, a baby boy weighing 5 lbs. 4 3/8 oz. on July 24. Named Francisco. Both dismissed July 26.

Glenn Mathews due to be back home Wednesday

According to Ray Mathews, Glenn and Mrs. Mathews should be back in Rankin Wednesday.

Ray planned to leave Tuesday evening to go to Dallas and bring the family home. At last report, Glenn was feeling better and was looking forward to getting back with homefolks.

J. W. HEARON FAMILY ESCAPE INJURY IN WRECK

The J. W. Hearon family had a close brush with a serious accident last Tuesday night when their family car was in collision with a horse on the McCamey highway.

The family had been to McCamey to visit relatives in the hospital and were returning home. As their car neared the first bridge west of Rankin, a horse crossed the road in front of them and they were unable to miss the animal due to an approaching automobile.

Hearon said the car was almost a total loss. The impact killed the horse.

Mrs. Charley Hickox of San Angelo visited the J. R. McSpadden Tuesday. She was accompanied home by Miss Rhoda McSpadden for a visit.

Described as the largest crowd ever to gather in Rankin for an election night vote-counting, Saturday night's group stayed with the board watching the returns until one-thirty in the morning.

With the majority of the watchers gathered from 9:00 to 10:30, the group enjoyed a cake walk and refreshments furnished by various organizations, as well as doing some close figuring on the election returns as they were posted. Better than 35 cakes were awarded to winners in the cake walk.

Most of the precinct races were decided before 10:00 and several of the county posts were pretty well determined by that time. However, one of the boxes in McCamey delayed the final outcome until Sunday.

### CAR WRECK ON HIGHWAY

At about 1:30 the election posting was broken up by an automobile wreck on Highway 67 east of town.

D. P. Tabor and his wife of Big Lake were returning to their home when Tabor fell asleep at the wheel and struck the first bridge east of Rankin. Both he and his wife were taken to the Rankin Hospital where they were treated for cuts and bruises. The car, a 1952 Ford, was severely damaged.

### DOODLEBUGS GET SET FOR SATURDAY ROPING

Comes Saturday night, July 31, all doodlebuggers are invited to take part in a Doodlebuggers' Calf Roping at the Rankin arena.

Planned along the same lines as the Business Men's Roping held at the first of the month, contestants pay a \$1.00 entry fee and are not required to rope the calf. This part of the act will be taken care of by professional ropers — the doodlebuggers' job will be tying the critter.

Entry fees may be paid at the arena and anyone connected with the doodlebugging business will be eligible to enter. If time and entries should warrant it, a business men's roping will also be held.

Sponsored by the Upton County Sheriff's Posse, the event will also have jack pot roping for professionals and amateurs.

APPLICATION TO DRILL ONE MILE FROM TOWN MADE BY PORTER RANKIN

Porter Rankin of Midland has filed application to drill a 4,000-foot cable tool wildcat in Upton County, one mile northeast of Rankin. It will be the No. 1 H. F. Neal.

Operations on the project were to have begun July 24.

Location, on a 640-acre lease, is 2,310 feet from the north and east lines of 26-B-HE&WT.

### FORCE OF HABIT



**Upton School Students Attend Band School**

Thirteen high school musicians from Rankin, McCamey and Midkiff are among the more than 200 who have already made reservations for the second annual West Texas Music Camp, slated Aug. 1-13 at West Texas State College. More than 300 students from the Tri-State area are expected to participate.

Planning to attend the band and choir camp are Sandra Kennedy, Genevieve Poage, Herb Hurn, Sybil Patton and Bonnie Reed, all of Rankin. From McCamey are Vicki Baron, Sandra Lynn Key, James Lyles, Nancy Perry and Carol Joan Ryan.

From Midkiff are Betty Hayden, Bonnie Smith and Rose

mary Smith.

Among faculty for the camp are M. J. Newman, WTSC music department head and camp director; Dr. Alvin Edgar, head of the music department at Iowa State College; Ted Otis, five-time national twirling champion; Jack Lee, band director at the University of Arizona; Hiram Henry, director at the Oklahoma A&M College; Joe and Grace Berryman, nationally known percussion authorities; Dr. Houston Bright, WTSC A Cappella Choir director; Royal Brantley and Miss Matilda Gaume, assistant professors of music at WTSC.

Students will attend classes, band and choir rehearsals, practice sessions, drum majors and conducting classes, and twirling sessions throughout the day dur-

ing the two-week period. Three bands and a choir will be formed as well as concert and twirling groups. In the late afternoons and evenings, entertainment has been planned.

**LIKE TO LICK STAMPS?** If you don't, you need a Jiffy Mailer. It's a plastic stamp holder that moistens stamps as they are dispensed. Uses rolls of stamps. Good to moisten envelope flaps. See them at the Rankin News. Only

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Carl Delaney, operator

**WHAT'S A FACT**

**Yak Facts!**

**P**ARROTS HAVE ACHIEVED IMMORTALITY BY THEIR ABILITY TO REPEAT WORDS AND SENTENCES. YET PARROTS IN THEIR WILD STATE ARE NEVER KNOWN TO IMITATE THE SOUNDS OF OTHER ANIMALS! SOME PARROTS HAVE VOCABULARIES OF MORE THAN A HUNDRED WORDS—AND SOME OF THESE VERSATILE BIRDS HAVE ACTUALLY BEEN KNOWN TO APPEAR AS WITNESSES IN COURT WITH LEGAL RECOGNITION GIVEN TO THEIR TESTIMONY!



**WHERE ARE SOME WORDS AMERICANS ARE LEARNING THE TRUE VALUE OF: TRY U.S. SAVINGS BONDS! THEY REPRESENT VALUE AND SECURITY! AND REMEMBER—BONDS ARE BETTER THAN EVER!**



**Where's America?**

**A**LTHOUGH CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS MADE FOUR TRIPS TO THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE, HE NEVER ACTUALLY LANDED ON, OR SIGHTED ANY OF THE TERRITORY WE NOW KNOW AS THE UNITED STATES! AMONG THE ISLANDS HE ACTUALLY VISITED WERE SAN SALVADOR, CUBA, JAMAICA, ST. LUCIA AND MANY OTHERS.

**HAVE YOU DISCOVERED U.S. SAVINGS BONDS?** THEY ARE YOUR BEST INVESTMENT. ENROLL TODAY IN THE PAYROLL SAVINGS PLAN WHERE YOU WORK.

**MAINE IS THE ONLY STATE IN THE UNION THAT IS TOUCHED BY ONLY ONE OTHER STATE. TENNESSEE AND MISSOURI ARE BOUNDED BY THE MOST STATES—EIGHT!**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF UPTON TO HENRY C. KUHNER, HIS HEIRS, EXECUTORS AND ADMINISTRATORS:

You are hereby notified that on the 16th day of August, 1954, at 2:00 o'clock P.M., and at Rankin in Upton County, Texas, the undersigned, special commissioners appointed by the judge of the county court of said county to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the following described property, to-wit:

Being a tract of land lying parallel and adjacent to the existing North right-of-way line of U. S. Highway No. 67, said tract being twenty (20) ft. wide and extending from Engineer's Station No. 76-08.0 to Station No. 80-27.6 and being more particularly described as follows:

**BEGINNING** at a point in the existing right-of-way line at Engineer's Station No. 80-27.6, which point is in the East line of Section 24, Blk. B, H&TR RR Survey;

**THENCE** N. 0 degrees 42' W. a distance of 21.32 ft. to a point for the N.E. corner;

**THENCE** S. 69 degrees 03' W. a distance of 315.33 ft. to the P.T. of a curve having a radius of 5799.65 ft.;

**THENCE** along the arc of said curve to the left whose radius is 5799.65 ft. a distance of 106.5 ft. to a point for the N.W. corner;

**THENCE** S. 0 degrees 42' E. a distance of 21.4 ft. to a point in the existing right-of-way line for the S. W. corner;

**THENCE** Northeastly along the arc of a curve to the right, whose radius is 5779.65', a distance of 110.96 ft. to the P.T. of the curve;

**THENCE** N. 69 degrees 03' E. a distance of 307.95 ft. to the point of beginning;

Said tract containing 0.192 acres of land more or less, for the purpose of State Highway improvement, all of which more fully appears in a certain written statement filed by the said Upton County for and in behalf of Texas Highway Department with said judge on the 30th day of June, A.D. 1954, to which reference is here made, having heretofore duly selected such time and place for hearing as required by law, will proceed to hear said parties and said written statement and to act thereon in the manner directed by law.

Witness our hands this 6th day of July, 1954.

Glenn Hill  
C. G. Forester  
D. S. Anderson  
Special Commissioners

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Witness Nancy K. Daugherty, Clerk of the County Court of Upton County, Texas.  
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in the City of Rankin, this 6th day of July, 1954.

Nancy K. Daugherty,  
Clerk of the County Court of Upton County, Texas.  
By Sara Lee Vardy, Deputy

**Soil Conservation**

H. N. Smith, State Conservationist for Texas, today declared municipal and industrial users of water have no cause to worry in connection with the evaporation of water from the small reservoirs in Soil Conservation Service upstream flood prevention.

Smith pointed out that the 40 flood prevention dams already built in the Trinity River Watershed are preventing many thousands of dollars of flood losses every year along the small creeks where the dams have been built. In addition, farmers can now raise crops on several thousand acres of fertile bottomland which have been flooded too frequently for cultivation.

Smith explained that critics have said that if many flood prevention dams are built in the headwaters of streams the water supplies may be seriously reduced by evaporation from the pools of structures. Actually, Mr. Smith said, the evaporation loss from the pools of upstream flood prevention dams would be small compared to the evaporation loss from existing major reservoirs, and very small compared to the average flow of the streams.

The average yearly flow into Benbrook, Grapevine, Garza-Little Elm and Lavon reservoirs is estimated to be slightly more than one million acre-feet. The net amount of water evaporated annually from the conservation pools of these reservoirs is estimated to total 131,300 acre-feet, or 12.8 percent of the average yearly inflow. Mr. Smith estimated that the similar loss from the pools of all flood prevention dams built, under construction and proposed—upstream from the four major dams—would be only 13,700 acre-feet annually, or 1.3 percent of the average inflow.

In addition to the annual flood damages prevented in upstream areas, the flood prevention dams will reduce the rate of sedimentation of the major reservoirs by more than 50 percent. It is obvious, said Mr. Smith, that the combined benefits of the upstream dams far outweigh any small effect which they may have on water supply.

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC**

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners' Court of Upton County will hold a hearing on the budget for the year 1955.

The hearing will be held in the Commissioners' Courtroom on August 16, 1954, at 10:00 a.m. and the public and all persons interested are invited to attend this hearing.

Dated this the 12th day of July, A. D. 1954.  
(Seal)

Nancy K. Daugherty,  
Clerk, County Commissioners' Court,  
Upton County, Texas.  
8-13-54

**Dr. Q. Z. Martin**  
OPTOMETRIST  
Hours 9-5, Closed Monday  
Telephone 141

**THANK YOU**  
for the support given me Saturday

I DEEPLY APPRECIATE THE VOTE AND SUPPORT GIVEN ME IN THE PRIMARY ELECTION.

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303 Size Del Monte Cream Style CORN 5 FOR	99c	PURE ALUMINUM FOIL 4 FOR	\$1
NO. 303 DIAMOND BRAND TOMATOES 8 FOR	\$1	NICE LARGE LEMONS DOZ.	31c
VAN CAMP 1 LB. CAN PORK & BEANS 8 FOR	\$1	LIPTON'S FROSTEE 2 FOR	25c
CUT-RITE WAX PAPER 4 FOR	\$1	ANY BRAND BISCUITS CAN	10c
KIMBELL'S CARTON SHORTENING 3 LBS.	79c	COMMANDER FLAT CAN SARDINES 11 FOR	\$1
1 1/2 oz. Can DIAMOND—With Bacon BLACK-EYE PEAS CAN	9c	ASST FLAVORS KOOL ADE 6 FOR	25c
GRAYSON OLEO 4 LBS.	\$1	WASHING POWDER A L L 6 LBS.	\$1
VELVEETA CHEESE 2 LB. BOX	\$1	CHUCK OR ARM BEEF ROAST LB.	38c
CAMPBELL'S SOUP 6 FOR	\$1	CHOICE T-BONE STEAKS LB.	59c
ANY BRAND 14 OZ. BOTTLE CATSUP 6 FOR	\$1	ALL MEAT BOLOGNA LB.	29c
HEINZ BABY FOOD 20 CANS	\$1	LONGHORN CHEESE LB.	47c
SUNSHINE Choc. Chip Coconut COOKIES 1 LB.	45c	BEEF PLATE R I B S LB.	26c
15 OZ. CAN STOKELY'S FINEST SPINACH 8 FOR	\$1	FRESH GROUND BEEF LB.	29c

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**Luella Huffman Heads Hospital Council Meet**

Central Permian Basin Hospital Council held their quarterly meeting at the Lincoln Hotel in Odessa Wednesday, July 21. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Luella Huffman, who, after conducting a short business meeting, introduced three new hospital administrators that are located in this area: Leon Smith of Western Clinic Hospital, Midland; Glenn Mann, Martin County Hospital, Stanton; and Gordon Russell, Crane County Memorial Hospital, Crane.

Don Burks, Cowper Clinic Hospital at Big Spring, program chairman, conducted a general discussion about the highlights of the State Convention of the Texas Hospital Association recently held in Houston. He was assisted by Burton Sears of Midland Memorial Hospital, Midland, and D. S. Riley, who is first vice-president of the Texas Hos-

pital Association and also administrator of Malone & Hogan Hospital in Big Spring.

Those attending the meeting included Mrs. Luella Huffman, Rankin; Gordon Russell, Crane; Virgil Reed, Andrews; Leon Smith, Midland; Glenn Mann, Stanton; Don Burke, Big Spring; D. S. Riley, Big Spring; Dora Smith, Big Lake; W. O. Underwood, Big Spring; Earl Benson, Odessa; Mrs. Holland, Odessa, and Don Vilven, Midland.

The next meeting will be held November 10th at the Medical Center Hospital in Odessa.

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**Thanks, Friends - -**  
FOR YOUR VOTE AND SUPPORT IN RE-ELECTING ME CONSTABLE OF PRECINCT 1.

I SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOUR HELP.

**W. F. "BILL" MOORE**

**My Thanks**

To the people of Precinct 1 for re-electing me as your Commissioner for another term.

I will continue to be at your service at all times and will do my best in serving.

**Sam Holmes**

**TO THE PEOPLE OF UPTON COUNTY**

I am grateful for your loyal friendship and cheerful support. I thank you for the trust you have reposed in me, for your sincere expressions of good will, and for the advice and assistance which I may need in the future, and of which I shall feel free to avail myself.

I shall continue to perform my official duties as efficiently as possible, and I hope with a keen sense of right and justice—discarding passion and partiality, and without distinction of friend or foe, relative or stranger.

May we now co-operate for the betterment of Upton County.

Cordially yours,  
**G. H. "BUD" FISHER**

**To The Voters of Upton Co.**

**THANKS!**

I CERTAINLY APPRECIATE THE FINE SUPPORT AND VOTE OF CONFIDENCE YOU GAVE ME IN LAST SATURDAY'S ELECTION.

I PLEDGE THE SAME FAIR, IMPARTIAL AND COURTEOUS SERVICE TO ONE AND ALL IN THE FUTURE AS IN THE PAST.

**H. E. "Gene" Eckols**



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LEGAL NOTICE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF UPTON TO EULAH VOELKEL, HER HUSBAND IF SHE HAS ONE, AND HER HEIRS, EXECUTORS AND ADMINISTRATORS: You are hereby notified that on the 16th day of August, 1954,

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas creating the State Building Commission...

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended by adding thereto a new section...

Section 5-B. (a) The State Building Commission is hereby created. Its members shall consist of the Governor, the Attorney General and the Chairman of the Board of Control...

Section 5-C. (a) The State Building Commission shall have the honor and authority to acquire, lease, purchase, sell, convey, hold, lease, mortgage, and otherwise dispose of real and personal property...

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Polio is still with us. 1. DON'T GET OVERTIRED. 2. DON'T GET CHILLED. 3. DON'T MIX WITH NEW GROUPS. 4. BUT DO KEEP CLEAN. The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

MARCH OF DIMES FUNDS ARE EXHAUSTED. GIVE TO THE EMERGENCY MARCH OF DIMES THIS MONTH!

at 2:00 o'clock P.M., and at Rankin in Upton County, Texas, the undersigned, special commissioners appointed by the judge of the county court of said county to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the following described property, to-wit:

Being a tract of land out of Sec. 13, Bik. R., Burleson & Johns Survey, Upton County, Texas, to be used for highway right-of-way purposes and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a point on the present S. right-of-way line of U. S. Highway No. 67 said point being N. 40 degrees 12' E. a distance of 2508.3 ft. from the W. corner of said Sec. 13.

THENCE N. 77 degrees 59' 30" E. along the present S. right-of-way line of U. S. Highway No. 67 a distance of 117.3 ft.

THENCE N. 75 degrees 07' 30" E. along the present right-of-way line a distance of 67.0 ft.

THENCE S. 50 degrees 00' E. a distance of 29.7 ft.

THENCE S. 77 degrees 59' 30" W. a distance of 227.7 ft. to a point on the N.W. line of said Sec. 13;

THENCE N. 40 degrees 12' E. along the N. line of said Sec. 13 a distance of 32.6 ft. to the point of beginning.

Said tract containing 0.098 acres of land more or less.

Witness our hands this 6th day of July, 1954.

G. C. Pauley, G. C. Forester, Glenn Hill, Special Commissioners.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned un-

and left with the judge of the election. The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive the receipt therefor...

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14 proposing an Amendment to Section 19 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas...

Section 19. The Legislature shall prescribe by law the qualifications of grand and petit jurors...

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ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS RANKIN, TEXAS BOX 45 PHONE 9502

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 37 proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas...

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section...

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State...

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

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Section 15. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Section 16. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh "Browser's" License. "Specs" Johnson, who thinks it's a real treat to spend an hour or so browsing in a bookshop found his idea of heaven up in Centerville last week. "Just inside the door," Specs says, "there's a tray of bright blue buttons. If you want to look around without having someone suggest you buy the latest best-selling novel, or maybe a history of Africa, you pin a button on your coat lapel. "You can poke around all you like. Then when you've found the book you want, tabs of the but-



**Upton School Students Attend Band School**

Thirteen high school musicians from Rankin, McCamey and Midkiff are among the more than 200 who have already made reservations for the second annual West Texas Music Camp, slated Aug. 1-13 at West Texas State College. More than 300 students from the Tri-State area are expected to participate.

Planning to attend the band and choir camp are Sandra Kennedy, Genevieve Poage, Herd Hurn, Sybil Patton and Bonnie Reed, all of Rankin. From McCamey are Vicki Baron, Sandra Lynn Key, James Lyles, Nancy Perry and Carol Joan Ryan.

From Midkiff are Betty Hayden, Bonnie Smith and Rose

mary Smith.

Among faculty for the camp are M. J. Newman, WTSC music department head and camp director; Dr. Alvin Edgar, head of the music department at Iowa State College; Ted Otis, five-time national twirling champion; Jack Lee, band director at the University of Arizona; Hiram Henry, director at the Oklahoma A&M College; Joe and Grace Berryman, nationally known percussion authorities; Dr. Houston Bright, WTSC A Cappella Choir director; Royal Brantley and Miss Matilda Gaume, assistant professors of music at WTSC. Students will attend classes, band and choir rehearsals, practice sessions, drum majors and conducting classes, and twirling sessions throughout the day dur-

ing the two-week period. Three bands and a choir will be formed as well as ensembles and twirling groups. In the late afternoons and evenings, entertainment has been planned.

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## LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF UPTON TO HENRY C. KUHNER, HIS HEIRS, EXECUTORS AND ADMINISTRATORS:

You are hereby notified that on the 16th day of August, 1954, at 2:00 o'clock P.M., and at Rankin in Upton County, Texas, the undersigned, special commissioners appointed by the judge of the county court of said county to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the following described property, to-wit:

Being a tract of land lying parallel and adjacent to the existing North right-of-way line of U. S. Highway No. 67, said tract being twenty (20) ft. wide and extending from Engineer's Station No. 76-08.0 to Station No. 80-27.6 and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the existing right-of-way line at Engineer's Station No. 80-27.6, which point is in the East line of Section 24, Blk. B, H&TR RR Survey;

THENCE N. 0 degrees 42' W. a distance of 21.32 ft. to a point for the N.E. corner; THENCE S. 69 degrees 03' W. a distance of 315.33 ft. to the P.T. of a curve having a radius of 5799.65 ft.;

THENCE along the arc of said curve to the left whose radius is 5799.65 ft. a distance of 106.3 ft. to a point for the N.W. corner;

THENCE S. 0 degrees 42' E. a distance of 21.4 ft. to a point in the existing right-of-way line for the S. W. corner;

THENCE Northeasterly along the arc of a curve to the right, whose radius is 5779.65', a distance of 110.96 ft. to the P.T. of the curve;

THENCE N. 69 degrees 03' E. a distance of 307.95 ft. to the point of beginning;

Said tract containing 0.192 acres of land more or less, for the purpose of State Highway improvement, all of which more fully appears in a certain written statement filed by the said Upton County for and in behalf of Texas Highway Department with said judge on the 30th day of June, A.D. 1954, to which reference is here made, having heretofore duly selected such time and place for hearing as required by law, will proceed to hear said parties and said written statement and to act thereon in the manner directed by law.

Witness our hands this the 6th day of July, 1954.

Glenn Hill  
C. G. Forester  
D. S. Anderson

Special Commissioners

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Witness Nancy K. Daugherty, Clerk of the County Court of Upton County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in the City of Rankin, this 6th day of July, 1954.

Nancy K. Daugherty, Clerk of the County Court of Upton County, Texas.  
By Sara Lee Vardy, Deputy Issued this 6th day of July, 1954.  
Nancy K. Daugherty, Clerk of the County Court of Upton County, Texas.  
By Sara Lee Vardy, Deputy

## Soil Conservation

H. N. Smith, State Conservationist for Texas, today declared municipal and industrial users of water have no cause to worry in connection with the evaporation of water from the small reservoirs in Soil Conservation Service upstream flood prevention.

Smith pointed out that the 40 flood prevention dams already built in the Trinity River Watershed are preventing many thousands of dollars of flood losses every year along the small creeks where the dams have been built. In addition, farmers can now raise crops on several thousand acres of fertile bottomland which have been flooded too frequently for cultivation.

Smith explained that critics have said that if many flood prevention dams are built in the headwaters of streams the water supplies may be seriously reduced by evaporation from the pools of structures. Actually, Mr. Smith said, the evaporation loss from the pools of upstream flood prevention dams would be small compared to the evaporation loss from existing major reservoirs, and very small compared to the average flow of the streams.

The average yearly flow into Benbrook, Grapevine, Garza-Little Elm and Lavon reservoirs is estimated to be slightly more than one million acre-feet. The net amount of water evaporated annually from the conservation pools of these reservoirs is estimated to total 131,300 acre-feet, or 12.8 percent of the average yearly inflow. Mr. Smith estimated that the similar loss from the pools of all flood prevention dams built, under construction and proposed—upstream from the four major dams—would be only 13,700 acre-feet annually, or 1.3 percent of the average inflow.

In addition to the annual flood damages prevented in upstream areas, the flood prevention dams will reduce the rate of sedimentation of the major reservoirs by more than 50 percent. It is obvious, said Mr. Smith, that the combined benefits of the upstream dams far outweigh any small effect which they may have on water supply.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners' Court of Upton County will hold a hearing on the budget for the year 1955.

The hearing will be held in the Commissioners' Courtroom on August 16, 1954, at 10:00 a.m. and the public and all persons interested are invited to attend this hearing.

Dated this the 12th day of July, A. D. 1954.  
(Seal)

Nancy K. Daugherty, Clerk, County Commissioners' Court, Upton County, Texas. 8-13-54

**Dr. O. Z. Marlin**  
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Hours 9-5, Closed Monday  
Telephone 141

## Luella Huffman Heads Hospital Council Meet

Central Permian Basin Hospital Council held their quarterly meeting at the Lincoln Hotel in Odessa Wednesday, July 21. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Luella Huffman, who, after conducting a short business meeting, introduced three new hospital administrators that are located in this area: Leon Smith of Western Clinic Hospital, Midland; Glen Mann, Martin County Hospital, Stanton; and Gordon Russell, Crane County Memorial Hospital, Crane.

Don Burks, Cowper Clinic Hospital at Big Spring, program chairman, conducted a general discussion about the highlights of the State Convention of the Texas Hospital Association recently held in Houston. He was assisted by Burton Sears of Midland Memorial Hospital, Midland, and D. S. Riley, who is first vice-president of the Texas Hos-

pital Association and also administrator of Malone & Hogan Hospital in Big Spring.

Those attending the meeting included Mrs. Luella Huffman, Rankin; Gordon Russell, Crane; Virgil Reed, Andrews; Leon Smith, Midland; Glenn Mann, Stanton; Don Burke, Big Spring; D. S. Riley, Big Spring; Dora Smith, Big Lake; W. O. Underwood, Big Spring; Earl Benson, Odessa; Mrs. Holland, Odessa, and Don Vilven, Midland. The next meeting will be held November 10th at the Medical Center Hospital in Odessa.

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## Thanks, Friends - -

FOR YOUR VOTE AND SUPPORT IN RE-ELECTING ME CONSTABLE OF PRECINCT 1.

I SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOUR HELP.

W. F. "BILL" MOORE

## My Thanks

To the people of Precinct 1 for re-electing me as your Commissioner for another term.

I will continue to be at your service at all times and will do my best in serving.

## Sam Holmes

## TO THE PEOPLE OF UPTON COUNTY

I am grateful for your loyal friendship and cheerful support.

I thank you for the trust you have reposed in me, for your sincere expressions of good will, and for the advice and assistance which I may need in the future, and of which I shall feel free to avail myself.

I shall continue to perform my official duties as efficiently as possible, and I hope with a keen sense of right and justice—discarding passion and partiality, and without distinction of friend or foe, relative or stranger.

May we now co-operate for the betterment of Upton County.

Cordially yours,

G. H. "BUD" FISHER

## To The Voters of Upton Co.

## THANKS!

I CERTAINLY APPRECIATE THE FINE SUPPORT AND VOTE OF CONFIDENCE YOU GAVE ME IN LAST SATURDAY'S ELECTION.

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**H. E. "Gene" Eckols**



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LEGAL NOTICE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF UPTON TO EULAH VOELKEL, HER HUSBAND IF SHE HAS ONE, AND HER HEIRS, EXECUTORS AND ADMINISTRATORS: You are hereby notified that on the 16th day of August, 1954,

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas creating the State Building Commission and determining the membership thereof...

IT IS RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 51-b and reading as follows:

Section 51-b. (a) The State Building Commission is hereby created. Its membership shall consist of the Governor, the Attorney General and the Chairman of the Board of Control. The Legislature may provide by law for some other State official to be a member of this Commission...

Section 2. The foregoing amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the general election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1954, at which election those favoring such amendment shall have their votes cast on the following ballot:

FOR the amendment transferring that portion of the Confederate Pension Fund not needed for the payment of Confederate pensions to the State Building Fund to be used for State building purposes as may be provided by law, and also to permit the State Building Commission to expend not more than six (6%) percent of such fund to be used for State building purposes...

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for such election and shall have the amendment published as required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting the Legislature to fix the salary of the Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller of Public Accounts, Treasurer, Commissioner of State Land Office and Secretary of State...

IT IS RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 5. The Governor shall, at stated times, receive a compensation for his services, which shall be fixed by law, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture...

Section 2. That Section 22 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: Section 22. The Attorney General shall hold office for two years and until his successor is duly qualified. He shall receive the State in all suits and pleas in which the State is a party, and he shall be specially sworn into the office of his office...

Section 3. That Section 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: Section 23. The Comptroller of Public Accounts, the Treasurer, and the Commissioner of State Land Office shall hold office for two years and until their successors are duly qualified...

Section 4. That Section 24 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: Section 24. The Secretary of State shall hold office for two years and until his successor is duly qualified...

Section 5. That Section 25 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: Section 25. There shall be a Secretary of the Senate, who shall be appointed by the Senate, and who shall continue in office during the term of session...

Polio is still with us. 1. DON'T GET OVERTIRED. 2. DON'T GET CHILLED. 3. DON'T MIX WITH NEW GROUPS. 4. BUT DO KEEP CLEAN. The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

MARCH OF DIMES FUNDS ARE EXHAUSTED. GIVE TO THE EMERGENCY MARCH OF DIMES THIS MONTH!

at 2:00 o'clock P.M., and at Rankin in Upton County, Texas, the undersigned, special commissioners appointed by the judge of the county court of said county to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the following described property, to-wit:

Being a tract of land out of Sec. 13, Bik. R. Burleson & Johns Survey, Upton County, Texas, to be used for highway right-of-way purposes and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a point on the present S. right-of-way line of U. S. Highway No. 67 said point being N. 40 degrees 12' E. a distance of 2508.3 ft. from the W. corner of said Sec. 13.

THENCE N. 77 degrees 59' 30" E. along the present S. right-of-way line of U. S. Highway No. 67 a distance of 117.3 ft.

THENCE N. 75 degrees 07' 30" E. along the present right-of-way line a distance of 67.0 ft.

THENCE S. 50 degrees 00' E. a distance of 29.7 ft.

THENCE S. 77 degrees 59' 30" W. a distance of 227.7 ft. to a point on the N.W. line of said Sec. 13;

THENCE N. 40 degrees 12' E. along the N. line of said Sec. 13 a distance of 32.6 ft. to the point of beginning.

Said tract containing 0.098 acres of land more or less, for the purpose of State Highway improvement, all of which more fully appears in a certain written statement filed by the said Upton County for and in behalf of Texas Highway Department with said judge on the 30th day of June, A.D. 1954, to which reference is here made, having heretofore duly selected such time and place for hearing as required by law, will proceed to hear said parties and said written statement and to act thereon in the manner directed by law.

Witness our hands this 6th day of July, 1954. G. C. Pauley, C. G. Forester, Glenn Hill, Special Commissioners.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned un-

and left with the judge of the election. The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive the receipt therefor. In like manner, the wife may pay the poll tax of her husband and receive the receipt therefor. The Legislature may authorize absentees of the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Air Force, or component branches thereof who are otherwise qualified electors, and so as to limit voting by persons in the military service of the United States to the county in which the voter resided at the time of entering such service, providing for submission of the proposed amendment to the qualified electors of this State at the General Election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1954, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

Section 1. That Section 2 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: Section 2. The following classes of persons shall not be allowed to vote in this State, to-wit: "First: Persons under twenty-one (21) years of age.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14 proposing an Amendment to Section 19 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the qualifications for service on grand and petit juries shall not be denied or abridged by reason of sex providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation there-

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 19 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 19. The Legislature shall prescribe by law the qualifications of grand and petit juries, provided that neither the right nor the duty to serve on grand and petit juries shall be denied or abridged by reason of sex. Whenever in the Constitution the term "men" is used in reference to grand or petit juries, such term shall include persons of the female as well as the male sex.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1954, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, or written or printed thereon, or in counties using voting machines, such machines shall provide for the following:

FOR the Constitutional Amendment to require women to serve on juries. Each voter shall cast his vote for or against such Constitutional Amendment by marking out one of said clauses on the ballot and leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for such election and shall have notice of same published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Witness Nancy K. Daugherty, Clerk of the County Court of Upton County, Texas. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in the City of Rankin, this 6th day of July, 1954.

Nancy K. Daugherty, Clerk of the County Court of Upton County, Texas. By Sara Lee Vardy, Deputy. Issued this 6th day of July, 1954. Nancy K. Daugherty, Clerk of the County Court of Upton County, Texas. By Sara Lee Vardy, Deputy.

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Section 1. That Section 2 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: Section 2. The following classes of persons shall not be allowed to vote in this State, to-wit: "First: Persons under twenty-one (21) years of age.

"Second: Idiots and lunatics. "Third: All paupers supported by any county. "Fourth: All persons convicted of any felony, subject to such exceptions as the Legislature may make.

"Fifth: Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications who shall have attained the age of twenty-one (21) years and who shall be a citizen of the United States and who shall have resided in this State one (1) year next preceding an election and the last six (6) months within the district or county in which such person offers to vote, and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas and has not paid said tax before offering to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that said poll tax was paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she, as the case may be, shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before an officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for such election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS Subject to run-off election Aug. 28 For Justice of Peace, Precinct 2: Mrs. Murray McCain (Re-Election) W. J. "Curley" Cowen

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11 proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section, to be known as Section 52-b, prohibiting the Legislature from ever lending the credit of the State or any public money, or incurring the indebtedness of any individual, person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, public agency or any individual subdivision of the State, now authorized or which may hereafter be authorized to construct, maintain or operate toll roads, or turnpikes within this State, and providing for the submission of the amendment to the voters

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section, to be known as Section 52-b, which shall read as follows:

Section 52-b. The Legislature shall have no power or authority to in any manner lend the credit of the State or grant any public money to, or assume any indebtedness, present or future, bonded or otherwise, of any individual, person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, public agency, or political subdivision of the State, now authorized or which is now or hereafter authorized to construct, maintain or operate toll roads or turnpikes within this State.

Section 2. The foregoing amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1954, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, or in counties using voting machines, such machines shall provide for the following:

FOR the Constitutional Amendment prohibiting the Legislature from lending the credit of the State or granting public money to, or assuming any indebtedness, of any one authorized to construct, maintain, or operate toll roads or turnpikes in this State.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for such election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS RANKIN, TEXAS BOX 45 PHONE 9502

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 31 proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto another section to be designated Section 51-c, providing that the Legislature shall have the power to pass such laws as may be necessary to enable the State to enter into agreements with the Federal Government to obtain for proprietary employees of its political subdivisions coverage under the Federal Social Security Act as amended. The Legislature shall have the power to make appropriations and authorize all obligations necessary to the establishment of such Social Security coverage program.

RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding another section to be designated Section 51-c, to read as follows: "Section 51-c. The Legislature shall have the power to pass such laws as may be necessary to enable the State to enter into agreements with the Federal Government to obtain for proprietary employees of its political subdivisions coverage under the Federal Social Security Act as amended. The Legislature shall have the power to make appropriations and authorize all obligations necessary to the establishment of such Social Security coverage program.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1954, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, or in counties using voting machines, such machines shall provide for the following:

FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for agreements between the State of Texas and the Federal Government to obtain Federal Social Security coverage for proprietary employees of its political subdivisions.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for such election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

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ADDITIONAL MODELS FOR EXECUTIVES (left) "Merchant" File No. 1370—Similar to above, but a double index drawer for 3x5 or 4x6 cards (3200 cap) replaces the top letter drawer. Can also be used for cancelled checks. . . . \$9.95 With plunger lock, automatically locks all drawers. No. 1370PL . . . \$7.45 (right) "Executive" File No. 1478—Similar to above, but with 2 double index drawers for 3x5 or 4x6 cards (6400 cap) which replaces the top letter drawer. Can also be used for cancelled checks. . . . \$1.95 With plunger lock, automatically locks all drawers. No. 1478PL . . . \$9.45

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh "Browser's" License. "Specs" Johnson, who thinks it's a real treat to enjoy an hour or so browsing in a bookshop found his idea of heaven up in Centerville last week. "Just inside the door," Specs says, "there's a tray of bright blue buttons. If you want to look around without having someone suggest you buy the latest best-selling novel, or maybe a history of Africa, you pin a button on your coat lapel. "You can poke around all you like. Then when you've found the book you want, take off the but-

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**MIDKIFF H. D. CLUB PLANS CARNIVAL FOR JULY 29**

The Midkiff Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Woodruff last Thursday.

Final plans were made for a carnival to be sponsored by the club. The carnival will be at 7:30 Thursday night, July 29th, at the Midkiff Post Office and the public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Spencer was to direct a study of plaques but material for the study failed to arrive.

Refreshments of cookies and tea were served to four visitors and the following members: Messdames Garner, Rhodes, Taylor, Mitchell, Van Sickle, Beumeler, Hays, Spencer, Wilkerson, Case, Payne, Dean and Mason.

**BEWICK-THOMPSON VOWS EXCHANGED JULY 26TH**

A quiet ceremony July 26th at the Baptist parsonage in Rankin united in marriage Miss Patricia Ann Bewick and Jerry Ray Thompson.

Rev. R. L. Shannon, Baptist pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr.

and Mrs. J. R. Bewick of Big Lake and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Thompson of Texon.

The bride is a graduate of Big Lake High School and the bridegroom, also a graduate of Big Lake High School, attended San Angelo Junior College one year.

After a short honeymoon, the couple will be at home in Texon where Mr. Thompson is employed by the Big Lake Oil Company.

**SINCLAIR OIL CAMP NEWS**

We take this means of saying thanks to the writer who has been mailing us the Sinclair Oil Camp News. We appreciate the opportunity of running this news; however, the copy is not reaching us in time to get in the News the week it is received. If arrangements could be worked out to get it in even a half day sooner, we would be most happy to carry it every issue.

Distribution of Congressional districts is made every ten years when the Federal Census is taken.

**HALL-SMITH MARRIAGE IS ANNOUNCED**

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hall of Houston, formerly of Rankin, announce the marriage of their daughter, Fay, to Joe Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith of Midkiff.

The marriage took place at the First Baptist Church in Fairbanks, Texas, July 4th with the Rev. Barnett officiating. Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wyatt.

The bride, who is a student in Rankin High School, will continue her studies here, and the bridegroom, graduate of Rankin High School in 1953, will attend Texas Tech this fall. The couple are at home in Midkiff.

**PARTY HONORS BELL GIRLS**

Misses Johnnye Ruth Hale and Charlene West were hostesses to a farwell party honoring Percelia and Janice Kay Bell at the Rankin Park Wednesday afternoon, July 21.

Games were played and gifts presented to the honorees, after which cookies and Cokes were served to Sujane West, Waldean McSpadden, Nancy Lee, Frances Nixon, Virginia Lee, Percelia and Janice Kay Bell, Mrs. Marvin Bell and Mrs. West.

**Canal Suggested**

A proposed plan to stop Texas' continuing water problem was explained by Dr. Walter P. Webb of the University of Texas at a conference.

Webb's plan, already widely publicized, calls for a billion-dollar canal that would extend from East Texas through the dry areas to South Texas.

New Hampshire and Indiana are the only states which have no mottos.

**LOCAL BOY TRAINS AT STATES ISLAND, N. Y.**



ELBERT ECKOLS

Pfc. Elbert E. Eckols is attending a unit supply school at Ft. Wadsworth, States Island, New York. He will attend the school for about two weeks and then will be supply clerk in addition to other duties as mail clerk and assistant battery clerk. He has been mail clerk for about 4 months and likes his job very well.

In his letters he often says, "Tell everyone hello for me." If anyone would like to write, his address is as follows:

Pfc. Elbert E. Eckols  
US 54-127-932  
Btry C, 12th AAA Bn.  
(Gun 90mm)  
Miller Field  
States Island, New York

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS:**  
The Commissioners' Court of Upton County, Texas, will receive sealed bids until 2:00 o'clock P.M., Monday, August 16, 1954, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read, at the Courthouse, Rankin, Texas, for the purchase of

One Photo-Recorder (Continuous) a fully automatic Photo-Recording Machine for use in the County Clerk's office. Machine must be one complete unit equipped with lens and prism, be able to enlarge to 200% and reduce to 50%, and produce 4 pages per minute. Self-contained developing tank and fixing tank to provide proper developing and fixing and washing must be of the spray type of at least 12 minute duration. In case of outside power failure, dryer belt must be equipped with emergency manual operation.

The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Successful bidder will be required to take Remington Rand machine now being used as trade-in.

J. A. Moore,  
County Auditor,  
Upton County, Texas.

ATTEST:  
Nancy K. Daugherty,  
County Clerk,  
Upton County, Texas.

8-5-54

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY JULY 30 AND 31**

GREGORY PECK  
— IN —  
"GUNFIGHTER"

**PLUS SECOND FEATURE — "CAPTAIN KIDD AND THE SLAVE GIRL"**

Tony Dexter and Eve Gabor

**SUNDAY, MONDAY, AND TUESDAY AUGUST 1, 2, & 3**

JAMES STEWART  
JUNE ALLYSON

**"THE GLENN MILLER STORY"**

**WED. & THURS. AUGUST 4 & 5**

JENNIFER JONES  
MONTGOMERY CLIFF

**"INDECRETION OF AN AMERICAN WIFE"**

**TEXON NEWS**

By MRS. LEON KESSLER

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Isbell spent Sunday in Stanton visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bentley and in Big Spring with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Boyd and Lynn.

Little Rex Shepard is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Shepard in San Angelo.

Miss Sandra Thompson is the guest of Sylvia McAden in Midland this week.

Carl Stanley Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cook, spent two days in the Big Lake Hospital suffering from a large cut on his head caused by falling on a bottle.

Buck Gibbs is home and about after spending a few days in the Big Lake Hospital.

Bobby Stinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Stinson, spent several days in a San Angelo hospital suffering from a sun stroke. He is out of the hospital now and is reported to be improving.

Miss Evelyn Bennett of Freeport is spending a few days with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Oldham. She will return home in a few weeks when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. (Charles) Bennet will come after her.

Mrs. Mack Irby was entertained with cake and ice cream on her birthday last Saturday evening. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kessler, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Houchens of Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Isbell and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cook.

Clyde Scott became ill Sunday and was given emergency treatment at the Big Lake Hospital. He was suffering from heat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everly and children, Susie and Johnnie, spent Sunday visiting with old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Everly now live in California and were on their vacation to Kansas to visit with their parents.

Miss Pat Fell, niece of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Ensley, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Verl Fell of McCamey, is spending a week here with Sharon Ensley.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Ensley were his sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Ory of Eldorado, and Mr. and Mrs. John Moore of Ft. Stockton.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hesty of Tulahoma, Tenn., upon the arrival of a son, Larry Allen, who came on July 19. The boy weighed 7 pounds and 12 ounces. Mrs. Hesty is the former Rose Fell. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Fell.

Jack Winberley spent a few days in the Big Lake Hospital suffering from strep throat.

**WCSA Holds Farewell Picnic**  
More than fifty persons were present when the Women's Society of Christian Service of Texon honored Mr. and Mrs. Amos Floyd and Jerry of Kemper Station with a chicken dinner at the Texon picnic grounds last Monday evening. The Floyds are moving to McCamey.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Shilling were also guest of the society.

**Brownies Have Picnic at Regular Meeting**

The Brownie Scouts held their regular meeting and had a sack lunch at the side of the Boy Scout house. Those present were Mmes. Leon Kessler and B. M.

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

**BIG SAVINGS**

On these 4 Special introductory offers

WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION 14 months \$2.45  
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COLLIER'S 40 issues \$3.00

The three magazines listed above will be sent to one address for 1 year for only \$6.00

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Box 507  
Rankin, Texas 1tc

FOR SALE—Equity in new FHA two bedroom home. \$650.00. Payments \$50.00 month. Phone 66-M.

DANCE AT NICK'S PLACE (McCAMEY, TEXAS) THURSDAY NIGHT, JULY 29, FEATURING KEN ALLEN AND HARRY HAMPTON AND THEIR ORCHESTRA. 1tc

A post card will bring you the latest information on all magazines, their prices and any special offers.

JOHN WILLIAM WALKER  
Box 618  
Rankin, Texas 1tc

Ensley, and Brownies Sharon Ensley, Jessie Lee Day, Gay Scott, Kay Vanadore, Judy Gooch and Sandy Easter. The girls planned a swim party and watermelon feast for their next meeting.

**Girl Scout Committee Has Meet**

The Girl Scout committee held a meeting and discussed the plans for the finishing up of the Girl Scout house. Twenty-five dollars was given to the Brownie leaders and to the Girl Scout leaders to buy equipment with.

**TO VOTERS OF PREC. 1**

I want each of you to know that I appreciate the support and vote you gave me in my campaign for Justice of the Peace.

To each and everyone I say "Thank You."

O. C. SCARBOROUGH

**I APPRECIATE THE SUPPORT AND CONSIDERATION YOU ACCORDED ME IN MY RACE FOR REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE 102ND DISTRICT.**

LOUIS H. (ANDY) ANDERSON

**THANKS!!!**

FOR HIRING ME AS YOUR COUNTY ATTORNEY I WILL TRY HARD TO MAKE UPTON COUNTY A GOOD COUNTY ATTORNEY.

Steve Preslar

**To the Voters of Precinct 1:**

I SHOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS MY SINCERE THANKS TO THOSE OF YOU WHO SUPPORTED ME IN MY CANDIDACY FOR COMMISSIONER IN THE PRIMARY ELECTION. I SHALL ALWAYS BE GRATEFUL TO EACH OF YOU.

PRESTON PATTON

**CONGRATULATIONS**

TO THE HIGH SHERIFF AND YOUR DEPUTIES

May I repeat again as I told all of the voters of the county, the Sheriff's department has been nice to Cliff Jones, and I am thankful that you are still nice to me.

**AND TO THE VOTERS**

I surely do thank you for your vote and support in my campaign for Sheriff.

I now extend a cordial invitation to one and all to come see me and BUY a steak dinner and some gasoline and oil 1 mile north of Rankin.

Sincerely,  
C. H. (CLIFF) JONES

**My Deepest Appreciation**

TO THE FINE PEOPLE OF UPTON COUNTY WHO RECEIVED ME SO CORDIALLY WHEN I WAS CAMPAIGNING FOR THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE 112TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF TEXAS.

I DEEPLY APPRECIATE THE FINE SUPPORT GIVEN ME BY THE PEOPLE OF UPTON COUNTY AND WILL ENDEAVOR TO MERIT THE CONFIDENCE YOU HAVE PLACED IN ME.

THANKS AGAIN,  
CONNELL ASHLEY

I THANK ALL OF THE FOLKS IN UPTON COUNTY FOR THE PLEASANT, COURTEOUS AND KINDLY MANNER IN WHICH I WAS RECEIVED IN MY VISITS SOLICITING VOTES. BELIEVE ME, I SURE APPRECIATE THE SUPPORT I RECEIVED AT THE POLLS.

JOHN A. MENEFFEE

**Specials Fri. & Sat., July 30 & 31**

CALIFORNIA CANTALOUPE LB.	6 <sup>1/2c</sup>	STOKELY'S NO. 303 PEARS 2 FOR	55c
SANTA ROSA FRESH PLUMS LB.	19c	REGULAR SIZE TIDE, CHEER OR SUPER SUDS	29c
YELLOW SQUASH LB.	6c	VAN CAMP TUNA 2 FOR	49c
CRISP RADISHES BUNCH	5c	SUNSHINE CRACKERS LB.	25c
RED McCLURE POTATOES 10 LBS.	55c	BALLARD, PUFFIN, BORDEN BISCUITS 10 for	99c
TIN CRISCO 3 LBS.	79c	MA BROWN 9 OZ GLASS JELLY 5 FOR	\$1
LIPTON TEA 1/2 LB.	59c	ASST FLAVORS GANDY'S MELLORINE QT.	29c
DIAMOND NAPKINS 2 FOR	29c	MINUTE MAID FROZEN LEMONADE CAN	19c
ALL FLAVORS JELLO 3 FOR	25c	HONOR BRAND FROZEN CUT CORN PKG.	19c
SPAGHETTI & MEAT ARMOUR'S 303 1 CAN 29c EXTRA CAN 15c — BOTH FOR	44c	NO. 3 PRIDE OF OZARK SWEET POTATOES GUARANTEED EGGS DOZ.	43c
GRAPETTE, ASS'T. FLAVORS MAKES ONE GALLON Nothing to Add but Water 2 for	59c	\$1.50 VALUE PUREX BAKING DISH	79c
Schillings, Chase & Sanbourne COFFEE LB.	\$1.19	SWIFT'S OR HEART OF TEXAS FRYERS LB.	53c
ARMOUR, CARNATION OR PET MILK 2 TALL	29c	HORMEL MIDWEST SLICED BACON LB.	59c
STANDARD TOMATOES 9 CANS	99c	CHOICE CHUCK BEEF ROAST LB.	39c
MAYFLOWER CORN 7 FOR	99c	CHOICE SIRLOIN STEAKS LB.	69c
TRELLIS PEAS 7 FOR	99c	EXCLUSIVE DEALER FOR MIRACLE ANT ROACH AND MOUSE KILLER— UNCONDITIONALLY GUARANTEED	
STOKELY'S 303 SLL-HLVS. PEACHES 2 FOR	43c	Trade With US — Your Neighbor Does	

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